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SUBJECT: UN WATER CONFERENCE - MAR DEL PLATA, MAR. 14-25, 1977

FOLLOWING IS A GENERAL INFORMATION MESSAGE FOR USE BY OIC AND FOR
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TO DISTRIBUTE TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE OFFICIAL DELEGATION AS WELL
AS SUPPORT STAFF IF DESIRED.

1. ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE BUENOS AIRES ON ARRIVAL

PERSONNEL ARRIVING AT EZEIZA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT WILL BE
REQUIRED TO CLEAR CUSTOMS AND PASSPORT CONTROL ON THEIR OWN.
FOLLOWING THESE CLEARANCES, PROCEED TO THE EXIT AREA OF THE
AIRPORT.

THE GOVERNMENT OF ARGENTINA HAS OFFICIALLY DESIGNATED CONINTER,
A TRAVEL AGENCY, TO ASSIST AND RENDER SERVICE TO ALL PERSONNEL
ARRIVING FOR THE UN WATER CONFERENCE. CONINTER WILL HAVE A WELCOM-
ING STAND LOCATED AT EZEIZA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT EXIT AREA
AS WELL AS AEROPARQUE (DOMESTIC) AIRPORT AND TRAIN AND BUS
STATIONS FROM MAR. 9-15, 1977 AND FROM MAR. 24-28, 1977. CONINTER
BILINGUAL HOSTESSES WILL ASSIST ARRIVING PERSONNEL WITH RESERVA-
TIONS FOR CONNECTING FLIGHTS TO MAR DEL PLATA. TRANSPORTATION WILL
BE PROVIDED BY CONINTER AT THE COSTS GIVEN BELOW: (PER PERSON)
TRANSFER FROM EZEIZA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO HOTEL OR VICE-
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VERSA US\$ 12.00

TRANSFER FROM EZEIZA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO AEROPARQUEA
AIRPORT OR VICEVERSA: US\$ 15.50

TRANSFER FROM AEROPARQUE TO HOTEL OR VICEVERSA: US\$ 6.00

TRANSFER FROM INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO TRAIN OR BUS STATION:
US\$ 12.00

(PERSONNEL ARE CAUTIONED TO HAVE IN THEIR POSSESSION US DOLLARS

OR TRAVELER'S CHECKS IN ORDER TO PAY FOR THE SERVICES RENDERED BY CONINTER).

THE EMBASSY IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE PERSONNEL TO MEET ALL PERSONS ARRIVING. HOWEVER SHOULD PROBLEMS ARISE THAT CANNOT BE SOLVED THROUGH THE SERVICES OF CONINTER, THE EMBASSY SHOULD BE CONTACTED IMMEDIATELY BY TELEPHONE NUMBER 46-3211 THROUGH 46-3215. A ALTERNATE CONTROL OFFICERS FROM MARCH 9, 1977 THROUGH MARCH 27, 1977 ARE: MR. C.E. EMMONS, COUNSELOR FOR ADMINISTRATION, MR. R. STEVEN, POLITICAL SECTION, AND MR. P. LONDONO, ECONOMIC SECTION. THE EMBASSY IS LOCATED AT SARMIENTO 663, IN THE FEDERAL CAPITAL AREA. IMPORTANT: PERSONNEL ARRIVING WITHOUT ONWARD RESERVATIONS FROM BUENOS AIRES TO MAR DEL PLATA, SHOULD HAVE IN THEIR POSSESSION ONWARD OPEN TICKETS. AFTER CLEARING CUSTOMS AND PASSPORT CONTROL CONTACT A CONINTER HOSTESS TO OBTAIN RESERVATIONS ON A CONNECTING FLIGHT TO MAR DEL PLATA. CAUTION: TRANSPORTATION TIME FROM EZEIZA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO AEROPARQUE IS ONE HOUR. THOSE PERSONS PLANNING A STOPOVER IN BUENOS AIRES ENROUTE TO MAR DEL PLATA SHOULD CHECK WITH CONINTER FOR ONWARD RESERVATIONS ON THE DATE DESIRED. CONINTER WILL ALSO RENDER ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING HOTEL RESERVATIONS FOR PERSONNEL SO REQUIRING ASSISTANCE. CONINTER AS WELL AS HOTELS IN BUENOS AIRES WILL HAVE AVAILABLE TOURIST INFORMATION GIVING EVENTS OF INTEREST AND RESTAURANTS, NIGHT CLUBS, ETC. TOURIST EXCURSIONS CAN BE ARRANGED THROUGH ALL HOTELS AND/OR THROUGH CONINTER. ALL HOTELS PROVIDE MONEY EXCHANGE SERVICE FOR US DOLLAR OR TRAVELER'S CHECKS (PERSONAL CHECKS ARE SELDOM HONORED). MOST LARGE HOTELS AND BETTER RESTAURANTS HONOR DINERS AND/OR AMERICAN EXPRESS CREDIT CARDS. CREDIT CARDS ARE ALSO HONORED BY SOME OF THE LARGER AND MORE EXCLUSIVE SHOPS.

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II. ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE MARDEL PLATA ON ARRIVAL:

A. CONINTER WILL HAVE A WELCOMING STAND AT THE AIRPORT AS WELL AS A GENERAL INFORMATION STAND IN THE PROVINCIAL HOTEL (SITE OF CONFERENCE) AT MAR DEL PLATA. CONINTER BILINGUAL HOSTESSES WILL ASSIST ARRIVING PERSONNEL IN PROVIDING TRANSPORTATION TO THE HERMITAGE HOTEL WHERE ALL MEMBERS OF THE U.S. OFFICIAL DELEGATION AND SUPPORT STAFF ARE TO BE LODGED. THE COST OF TRANSPORTATION FROM THE AIRPORT TO THE HOTEL WILL BE U.S.\$ 2.50 PER PERSON.

B. ON ARRIVAL AT THE HERMITAGE HOTEL, PERSONNEL SHOULD CONTACT EVERARD TAYLOR OR DILLARD H. DUNCAN IN ROOM 193 FOR INFORMATION ON ROOM ASSIGNMENTS.

C. MONEY EXCHANGE FACILITIES: ALL PERSONNEL ARE CAUTIONED TO BRING U.S. DOLLARS OR TRAVELER'S CHECKS TO FACILITATE THE EXCHANGE OF CURRENCY. PERSONAL CHECKS WILL NOT BE HONORED. THE OIC ADMINISTRATION OFFICE CAN ONLY PROVIDE A LIMITED AMOUNT OF

MONEY EXCHANGE SERVICE ON INITIAL ARRIVAL OF PERSONNEL. THERE WILL BE A FULL TIME MONEY EXCHANGE SERVICE OPERATING IN THE PROVINCIAL HOTEL DURING THE CONFERENCE

III. TRANSPORTATION SERVICE IN MAR DEL PLATA: THE OIC ADMINISTRATIVE OYSICE WILL NOT PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION SERVICE DURING THE CONFERENCE. THERE IS ADEQUATE TAXI SERVICE THROUGHOUT THE CITY AND RELATIVELY INEXPENSIVE IN COMPARISON TO STATESIDE PRICES. CAR RENTAL AS WELL AS "REMISE" (CAR RENTAL WITH CHAUFFER) IS AVAILABLE.

IV. CLOTHING RECOMMENDED: THE WEATHER IN MAR DEL PLATA AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR IS COMPARABLE TO EARLY FALL IN WASHINGTON. IT IS THEREFORE RECOMMENDED FALL WEIGHT CLOTHING INCLUDING A LIGHT RAINCOAT/OVERCOAT BE BROUGHT. BEING LOCATED ON THE SEACOAST, THE HUMIDITY IS HIGH.

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V. CREDIT CARDS: THE HERMITAGE HOTEL HONORS DINERS CARDS. THE PROVINCIAL HOTEL HONORS DINERS, LONDON AND AMERICAN EXPRESS CARDS. THE MORE EXCLUSIVE SHOPS HONOR AN ASSORTMENT OF CREDIT CARDS, I.E. DINERS, AMERICAN EXPRESS, LONDON, BANKAMERICARD, AND/OR CARTE BLANCHE.

VI. TELEPHONE NUMBERS: HERMITAGE HOTEL - 23-081/87
PROVINCIAL HOTEL - 24-081/90
CHATEAU FRONTENAC HOTEL - 27-443 OR 39-828
CONINTER - CONTACT THROUGH PROVINCIAL HOTEL
AEROLINEAS ARGENTINAS - 28-725 OR 25-014
AUSTRAL 45-424 OR 38-674

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FOLLOWING IS FOR OIC USE ONLY:

AIRLINE SCHEDULES OPERATING BETWEEN BUENOS AIRES AND MAR DEL PLATA
 AEROLINEAS ARGENTINA - AR, AUSTRAL - AU:

A. BUENOS AIRES TO MAR DEL PLATA:

DAY OF WEEK	FLIGHTS	DEPARTURE	ARRIVAL
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DAILY	AR 610	08:30	09:15
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AR 660	18:30	19:15
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AR 680	20:30	21:15
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AU 830	15:30	16:20
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AU 832	17:00	17:50
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MONDAY	AR 620	11:30	12:15
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AR 650	15:30	16:15
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AU 822	06:00	06:50
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AU 824	08:00	08:50
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AU 826	10:50	11:40
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AU 838	21:00	21:50
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TUESDAY	AR 620	11:30	12:15
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AR 650	15:30	16:15
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AU 824	08:00	08:50
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AU 826	10:50	11:40
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AU 838	21:00	21:50
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WEDNESDAY	AR 620	11:30	12:15
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AR 650	15:30	16:15
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AU 824	08:00	08:50
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AU 826	10:50	11:40
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AU 838	21:00	21:50
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THURSDAY	AR 620	11:30	12:15
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AR 650	15:30	16:15
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AR 690	22:30	23:15
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AU 824	08:00	08:50
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AU 826	10:50	11:40
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AU 838	21:00	21:50
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FRIDAY	AR 620	11:30	12:15
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AR 640	13:30	14:15
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AR 650	15:30	16:15
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AR 670	19:30	20:15
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AR 690	22:30	23:15
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AU 824	08:00	08:50
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AU 826	10:50	11:40
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AU 838	21:00	21:50
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AU 840	21:30	22:20
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AU 842	22:00	22:50
AU 844	22:15	23:05
AU 846	22:30	23:20
SATURDAY	AR 620	11:30 12:15
	AR 640	13:30 14:15
	AR 670	19:30 20:15
	AU 824	08:00 08:50
	AU 828	12:00 12:50
	AU 834	18:00 18:50
	AU 836	20:00 20:50
SUNDAY	AR 640	13:30 14:15
	AR 650	15:30 16:15
	AR 690	22:30 23:15
	AU 836	20:00 20:50
	AU 838	21:00 21:50
	AU 842	22:00 22:50
	AU 844	22:15 23:05
	AU 846	22:30 23:20

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AU 848	22:45	23:35
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B. MAR DEL PLATA TO BUENOS AIRES

DAILY	AR 611	09:45 10:25
	AR 661	19:45 20:25
	AR 681	21:45 22:25
	AU 831	16:40 17:25
	AU 833	18:1 18:55
MONDAY	AR 621	12:45 13:25
	AR 651	16:45 17:25
	AR 671	20:45 21:25
	AU 823	07:10 07:55
	AU 825	09:10 09:55
	AU 827	12:00 12:45
	AU 839	22:10 22:55
TUESDAY	AR 621	12:45 13:25
	AR 651	16:45 17:25
	AU 825	09:10 09:55
	AU 827	12:00 12:45
	AU 839	22:10 22:55
WEDNESDAY	AR 621	12:45 13:25
	AR 651	16:45 17:25
	AU 825	09:10 09:55
	AU 827	12:00 12:45
	AU 839	22:10 22:55
THURSDAY	AR 621	12:45 13:25
	AR 651	16:45 17:25
	AR 691	23:45 00:25
	AU 825	09:10 09:55

AU 827	12:00	12:45	
AU 839	22:10	22:55	
THURSDAY	AR 621	12:45	13:25
	AR 651	16:45	17:25
	AR 691	23:45	00:25
	AU 825	09:10	09:55

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AU 827	12:00	12:45	
AU 839	22:10	22:55	
FRIDAY	AR 621	12:45	13:25
	AR 641	14:45	15:25
	AR 651	16:45	17:25
	AR 671	20:45	21:25
	AR 691	23:45	00:25
	AU 825	09:10	09:55
	AU 827	12:00	12:45
	AU 839	22:10	22:55
	AU 841	22:40	23:25
	AU 843	23:10	23:55
	AU 845	23:25	00:10
	AU 847	23:40	00:25
SATURDAY	AR 621	12:45	13:25
	AR 641	14:45	15:25
	AR 671	20:45	21:25
	AU 825	09:10	09:55
	AU 829	13:10	13:55
	AU 835	19:10	19:55
	AU 837	21:10	21:55
SUNDAY	AR 641	14:45	15:25
	AR 651	16:45	17:25
	AR 691	23:45	00:25
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